



News Release

OMNOVA Launches Anti-Pinking Barrier Technology for Marine Seating

BEACHWOOD, OHIO, USA, October 2, 2018 - OMNOVA Solutions Inc. (NYSE: OMN) launched Nautolex® Tidal Wave™ Marine vinyl upholstery today, with new patent-pending barrier technology that offers unmatched pink-staining resistance for boat builders and their customers.

This innovative, exclusive technology creates a barrier to pink discoloration of the surface of marine vinyl upholstery caused by organisms that can grow inside marine seat cushions under hot and humid conditions.

“For boat manufacturers, Tidal Wave with pink stain barrier technology can avoid costs for repairs and replacements and can help protect and preserve a brand’s image,” said Mike Rariden, Marine Sales and Marketing Manager at OMNOVA Solutions.

Tidal Wave marine vinyl upholstery offers a two-year anti pinking warranty that begins at the time of purchase, making it the only true two-year warranty in the industry.

You can learn more about Tidal Wave marine upholstery at the International BoatBuilder’s Exhibition (IBEX) in Tampa Florida October 2 – 4 in the Tampa Convention Center, booth 2040.

About OMNOVA Solutions

OMNOVA Solutions Inc. is a global innovator of performance-enhancing chemistries and surfaces used in products for a variety of commercial, industrial and residential applications. As a strategic business-to-business supplier, OMNOVA provides The Science in Better Brands, with emulsion polymers, specialty chemicals, and functional and decorative surfaces that deliver critical performance attributes to top brand-name, end-use products sold around the world. OMNOVA’s sales for the last twelve months ended May 31, 2018 were \$772 million. The Company has a global workforce of approximately 1,800. Visit OMNOVA Solutions on the internet at www.omnova.com.

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